

## Message Text

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FM AMEMBASSY MANILA

TO SECSTATE WASHDC PRIORITY 2318

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: EAIR RP

SUBJ: CIVAIR - CRIMINAL CHARGES AGAINST PAL AND TWELVE OTHER  
      AIRLINES

1. "EVENING EXPRESS" FEBRUARY 20 CARRIES AP STORY  
   DATELINED SAN FRANCISCO WHICH STATES IN PART, "USG FILED  
   CRIMINAL CHARGES THURSDAY AGAINST INTERNATIONAL AIRLINES  
   ALLEGING THEY MADE ILLEGAL REBATES...ON FARES AND CARGO  
   SHIPMENTS TO FAR EAST". STORY CONTINUES TO STATE THAT  
   PAL IS AMONG 13 AIRLINES NAMED IN CHARGE. PAL IS CHARGED  
   WITH THREE COUNTS, INCLUDING A "\$555 FARE FOR A REGULAR  
   \$1,162 FLIGHT TO MANILA".

2. EMBASSY WOULD APPRECIATE BEING ADVISED PROMPTLY OF  
   BACKGROUND AND IMPLICATIONS THIS CASE IN ORDER TO BE  
   ABLE TO RESPOND TO INQUIRIES WHICH THIS STORY AND PROBABLE  
   SUBSEQUENT ADVERSE PRESS TREATMENT ARE SURE TO SPARK.  
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